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As soon as the epidemic is ended, and the people return, all our routes will be re-estab. lished.

CAPT. J. HARVEY MATHES, Who was taken with the fever two weeks ago to-day, at his editorial desk, -has so far recovered as to be able to sit an hour at a time. His attack was a very violent one, and, but for the promptness of his noble wife, before a doctor could be found and her excellent nursing afterward, and the unremitting attention of Dr. Mitchell, the case might have terminated differently in a very short time. Mrs. M. has been down with the fever eleven days, but is slowly recovering. Both hope to be up toward the last of next week. They have been well supplied with everything necessary by the Masons, Knights of Honor and Citizens' relief committee. Some of their purses proved to be thiever and whisky guzzlers, but at present they have two excellent nurses, a Mrs. Mitchell, of New Jersey, and a Mrs. Davis, of Mentphis.

How a Ring was Recovered.

Five years ago a party of men were bathing in the Boyer river, near this place. Among the number was Mr. Frank Pike; who was then, and is now, a conductor on the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad. While diving Mr. Pike felt she took them away to see which his ring dropping from his finger, she liked best and to consult her but before he could make the effort affianced concerning them. to save it it was gone. It was a loss to him which he felt deeply, not back, furious with rage. Simmins because of its intrinsic value, but had left her house, carrying away ed with it.

by all the party to restore it to him, whose husband was on the night don the effort that over an hour was spent in the endeavor to find it. About a month ago another party was bathing at the same spot families. and indulging in that finest of all sports to the swimmer, plunging twenty-four. His bewildered landfrom a spring-board. One of the lady is just turning forty-three, so men, diving to the bottom, ran his the neighbors say. hands into the soft, muddy bottom about six or eight inches, and, on rising to the surface of the water, was astonished to find he had run his finger into a ring, which proved on examination, to be the one lost by Mr. Pike five years ago. The ring is now in possession of its owner, who ceases not to rejoice over its recovery.

A very large crop of mast is reported this year in the forests of Georgia, and every paper in the that evening, placed herself in line commonwealth is preparing to down near the lake, where it seemed stump the State and hold mast difficult to get men, and soon filled meetings.

By the efforts of a temperance come and join her in passing buck-



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VOL. XXVII.

MEMPHIS, TENN.: SATURDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 21, 1878.

Five Dollars per Annum

A Landlady's Sad Experience With a Sharp Young Man.

to "back" a letter for her. He cuff, is Miss Sadie Wood, of Buffa-wrote on the back the address of a lo, N. Y. person named Simmins, residing in Of course take your customary annual Bodie. The next day the woman came in and wanted the address of the same man printed on the en-

The subscription price of the PUB formed that this would only be an Loren, on the New Raleigh road, September 20, 1878, of yellow fever, Konur M. Johns

letter, I want to know that it goes. writin' very well, and the letter enteebled digestion, incomplete assimilation. shouldn't get there? I'd be in a nice fix."

"An important business letter, I

can obtain the paper at the comes back here he's goin' to marro LEDGER counting room for me, and I'm not goin' to take my

Accordingly, the woman got tifty envelopes with the address of Sim-

like a tornade.

has double-banked me and I want Wee. A second was second with the second war was second with the second war was second with the second was second with the second war was second with the second was second with t him written up."

"Is the wedding off?" "Simmins is off; he has left me.

marry me." vanced the money?"

"Yes, I was fool enough to do it. and he's left me altogether. He with his address printed on the envelopes. But I've got over two dozen of his letters written to me before he left the Comstock, and I want every one of 'em printed in the Chronicle. It'll make a big sensation, I tell you. He must be shown up."

The woman rashed off, and promised to bring the letters next A letter from Dunlap, Iowa, to day. In the morning she came in the Chicago Tribune, dated 2d inst., radiant with joy. Simmins, the tell; the following tough story: lost one, had returned, taken a room in her lodging-house, and all was well.

"How much for 100 wedding

cards?" she inquired. The jobman showed her a num ber of samples and the prices, and

It was a week before she came from peculiar associations connect- his love letters and not paying his room rent, and was now in Gold An immediate search was made Hill making love to a married lady and so unwilling were they to aban- shift. She wanted the community warned against the gay deceiver whom she considered a bad man, well calculated to break up good

Simmins is a festive youth of

Men Ashamed of Themselves. The Sandusky Register says : An interesting incident occurred at the late fire of the Put-in-Bay House. While Mr. West was endeavoring to form a bucket line to the lake, and on account of the great excitement, was meeting with poor success, a beautiful young lady, neatly and elegantly dressed for the ball which was to have come off at the Put-in-Bay House to the constant of the cons

"Madam, you will catch your death of cold working this way in the watef." She replied : "I wish to set these men, who are standing around doing nothing, an example. I cannot see such elegant property barned without doing all I can to Some weeks ago the fair keeper prevent it." And she kept workof a lodging house in this city, who ling on, passing buckets as quickly Displayed advertisements will be charged had somewhat passed that time of and steadily as any one, looking according to the aracz occupied, at above the inch.

If when woman's charms are practike an an angel of light dressed in To regular advertisors we offer superior inducements, both as to rates of charges and manner of displaying their favors.

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Which maddens the passions of monds glistening in the light from earth," called at the Chronicle of the burning hotel. Her name, as which maddens the passions of monds glistening in the light from Printing Rooms, fice and asked one of the reporters Mr. Richmond had it on his shirt

"I don't care for that," she replied; "when I send an important missed by many sincere friends, who knew him and larged him.

Prompt Seform of Bodity Evits. inactivity of the liver, kidneys and bladder, as well as of the nervous symptoms which these ailments are especially prone to beget, is always accomplished by the use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a medicine accredited presume?"

"Well, I mean business, and I guess he does. When Simmins comes back here he's goin' to marro me, and I'm not goin' to take my chances on those fool postmasters mislayin' the letter."

Accordingly, the woman got fifty

ter's Stemach Bitters, a medicine accredited by physicians, pronounced pure by analysts, and eminently wholesome and agreeable. Surely such a restorative is preferable to unputationed neutrons. The nation at large assuredly thinks so, judging by the unprocedented demand for the article from Maine the Pacific, a demand now supplemented by immense orders for it received from tropical Colonial possessions, and elsewhere. Both at home and abroad it is recognized as a standard reloady and preventive, the decisiveness of its effects recommending it everywhere.

TRANSPORTATION. Notice to Employes

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT.
Memphis, September 18, 1878.
COMMENCING Wednesday, September 18
and until further notice, Mall and Mired
frains will sun between Memphis and Grenada tri-weekly—un Mondays, Wednesdays and
Gridays—under the present schedule, as fol-

No. 2 have Memphis at 11:30 a m. No. 1 arrive Memphis at 10:30 a.m. M. BURKE, Superintendent.

FOURTH NATIONAL BANK, THIS back will be closed or account of the prevalence of relicon fover, and the impossibility of setting assistance. Communications in regard to its business will receive attention, until further notice at Clarkwillo, Tenn. [16-27] W. C. MCCLURE, Cash'r.

WING to the prevelence and continued malignity of the yellaw fever I have this day closed the Bank. The fever having invaded the cashier's family and left me without assistants, I thought this tae most prudent course to pursue. Funds deposited at the German National Bank. I will make my beak quarers with the Ninth National Bank of sew lock, and am prepared to re-pond to all wells of depositors. Special deposite in my charge, I hope the abatement of the fever will to init me to resume business at an early day.

12.37 THOS FISHER, Pres t.

Memphis, September 4, 1878. HEREAFTER, until further notice, during the epidemic, the following banks will open for business.

At 13 O'clock m. and Close at 2

O'clock p,m:

WM. A. HILL, Cashier Emmet Bank, NOTICES

NTIL yellow fever subsides at Memphis

NOTICE.

down near the lake, where it seemed difficult to get men, and soon filled that end of the line up by her eloquent appeals to the bysinnders to come and join her in passing buck-

SPECIAL NOTICE.

office satisfied that all was well.

No more was seen of the fair discretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, etc., I will creature for a week or more, when gend a receipt that will cure you. FREE OF suddenly she burst into the office CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered ike a tornade.

"Say, Mister Reporter, Simmins T. Ismas, Station D. Bible House, New York

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in eight months.

pany, the Sauthern Express, the steamboat Coahoma have volunteered to deliver such contributions free. Very probably all the other transportation companies will de like
in eight months.

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W.P. PROUDFIT, Chairman

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Memphis. September 10.157a

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INSURANCE. INSURANCE REMOVAL

THE offices of the Binff City Icsurance Company, and the Hernaudo Insurance Company, have removed to

Germantown, Tenn.,

for the present. All communications, either by mail or telegraph, will secure prompt at Secretary Binff City Insurance Company.

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J W Alszabder, T Jackson (colored).
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Seventh Ward-W E McGuire. Levin H Cee,
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PARMERS and others are urgently request-ed to send in donations of wood for the destitute citizene of Memuhis. Those living near should had it to J. C. Mancabe, commis-Parties living at a distance, on or near a nilroad, can have it delivered boat m. 27.

pauling it to any war attainer.

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